

REMARKS

In the Official Action of May 5, 2005, claims 11 and 45-59 were allowed.

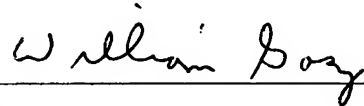
Claims 10 and 34-44 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being obvious over Hanson (U.S. Patent No. 5,807,364) in view of Popper (U.S. Patent No. 4,346,802). This ground of rejection is traversed.

Although applicant traverses this ground of rejection, claims 10 and 34-44 have now been canceled in order to expedite the remaining claims of the application which have been allowed. This cancellation is without prejudice to the reinstatement of these claims in a subsequent continuing application.

In view of the aforementioned facts and reasons, all pending claims are now deemed to be in proper condition for allowance. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below to discuss any matter pertaining to the status of this application.

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